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## THE COLLEGE OF TOMORROW.

In the inaugural address of the new president of Dartmouth college one gets a clear indication of the effect of the war abroad upon the educators of the United States. They, like men of other callings, realize that an era has closed and a new one has opened, and that colleges and universities, like states, trade guilds, and chambers of commerce, must be prepared to adjust themselves to new standards, to new social demands and duties, and to a more disciplined existence.

Indeed, if there is one note more than another that characterizes President Hopkins' sure-footed, sensible, yet bracing address as he takes the helm, it is that which calls for action, but action under orders, and in behalf of the many of the state. Other recently inaugurated presidents, Dr. Meiklejohn, of Amherst, for instance, also have defined the place of the American college as still cultural, and never again competitive with a university or a technical school in utilitarian education. Nor have new leaders been lacking who have insisted that, from the pedagogical, and also from the moral standard, there must be reduction in the curriculum, choice of fewer subjects, and more thorough study of such as are taught.

It has remained for Dartmouth's young president to declare opposition to a theory of student residence and life, often sanctioned by parents and by alumni, that emphasizes rights and not duties, student comfort and not student toil, and that minimizes the necessity of strict terms of admission and retention. So far as this policy has a theory of it is individualistic and laissez faire; and for it Dartmouth will have no use, whether taught or practiced. If, to meet a world demand for strong men equal to the new needs, the college must adjust its methods and ideals, it intends to do it, not by going on toward license, but by retreating toward liberty under law. It intends to have students who work and who obey. Just as scholars the world over must cease being carpingly critical and become constructively serviceable, so the student world, and especially the American, must adjust itself to new standards of obedience and to new conformities. The days of lax evasion of obligations are over, for faculty and for pupils.

Dartmouth is quite a likely place for such a deliverance to be made. Its traditions are those of rigor, obedience to duty, and plain living and high thinking, and it has had very little respect for the superficial aspects of life. Yet even Dartmouth, under the recent changes and rapid growth of the college, must have become somewhat conventional and dilettante, else President Hopkins would not have spoken as he did.

## THAT CAMPAIGN.

In connection with the present campaign of the Y. M. C. A. to raise funds, it may be interesting to note the following from the editorial columns of the Minnesota Daily, a daily paper from the University of Minnesota, where a similar campaign is under way.

Minnesota students have had no real opportunity to show that their sympathies have been moved by the suffering which the men now involved in the great war are enduring. Fine sentiments are often indulged in; many a university man has expressed his desire to drive an ambulance or to offer his services in some similar heroic field. But no tangible evidence has been given heretofore that Minnesota students really recognize their brotherhood with the men of Canada, of England, of Germany, of France. But now comes the opportunity!

Through the international Y. M. C. A., an organization recognized the world over for its strength and integrity, students are given the opportunity to help men who are suffering as men will suffer when imprisoned by the thousands with no prospects of release for months to come. We are assured by such men as John R. Mott and David Porter that every cent which we contribute will go for the immediate relief of these very fellows, who, away from home and the field of action, are suffering most. Can we give now? Are we willing to live up to the principles we commonly accept, or shall we meanly give in to our idle whims?

Such a challenge does not come every day. What it means must be considered by every thinking man. The words of John R. Mott in this connection are well worth pondering:

"My solicitude, as I have come back from Europe this time, is not primarily for the belligerent countries. They are being tried as by fire. Nor is my anxiety concerned chiefly with the neutral nations of Europe, for one may truthfully say that they have forgotten themselves in the service of their brothers. My greatest solicitude is with reference to the United States of America, lest, in this the moment of the world's greatest need, we enter not sufficiently into fellowship with the sufferings and sorrows of the European peoples."

## LIEUT. TYNDALE RETURNS.

Lieut. O. S. Tyndale, of the P. P. C. L. I., wounded in the fighting on the Canadian front not long ago, has returned to Canada with a party of Canadian soldiers invalided home. He left here with the Fifth Company to reinforce the Pats. He is a graduate of McGill in Arts and Law.

## DANCING POPULAR.

Three hundred and twenty-five bids for the 1918 Junior Prom, at the University of California have been disposed of, and no more students will be allowed to sign up to attend the dance. The limitation of the number of bids has been made necessary as the orchestra will be placed in the middle of the floor, and this will reduce the floor space considerably.

## BAD GRAMMAR.

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ACROSS AMERICA FOR \$10. Richard B. Varnum, twenty-one years old, who is to enter this year's freshman class at Harvard, arrived in Boston from Oakland, Cal., having covered the transcontinental trip by blind baggage and on engine tenders in 9 days, 19 hours and 13 minutes. This trip cost him \$10, more than half of which was spent to obtain his release.

## GEOLGY TRIP WAS THE BEST YET PLANNED

All of the Class Turned Out on Saturday.

## RIGAUD WAS THE OBJECTIVE

This District Furnished Unusual Geological Formations of Great Value to Geology.

A very interesting and valuable trip was made last Saturday morning to Rigaud, by the geologists who are attempting to learn the geological formations in the vicinity of Montreal. This district affords an unequalled opportunity for geological study and investigations. The party was provided with a special car, leaving the Windsor Street station at 8:30, and arriving at Rigaud at 10:45, and was in charge of Drs. Bancroft and Stansfield. These men carried out their plans with military promptness, for, within a few minutes of the arrival at Rigaud, they were to be found breaking rocks in the centre of the town. The next point of interest to be taken in was the rock bank of the Riviere Grasse, and here the layers of rock that formed the bed of the river, which is a transitional layer below the Trenton, and crazy formations extending to a depth of about forty feet, were examined. As in the other cases of stratified rock, these dip to the south. In this strata we find calciferous dolomite, which is composed of calcium carbonate and magnesium. Specimens of sandy dolomite were found, showing that the former sea was shallow at this point, the submergence of the sea extending up to Ottawa, south to Smiths Falls and Belleville, and then into New York State, following the Hudson and covering the Lake Champlain district, and following the Richelieu to the St. Lawrence. The first deposit was of Leda clay, and the second of saxifrage sand, containing shells of saxifrage lugs. Turning from there the party proceeded to climb the mountain, from which a good view of the Ottawa valley and of the Laurentian Mountains beyond, could be obtained. The Ottawa river could easily be seen as following the margin of the hard Laurentian rock, and cutting its way through the much softer material of the level plain between the Rigaud and the Laurentian Mountains. The effect of the glacial period of nearly half a million years ago could be noted now. The plateaus of the mountain beyond were regular during the glacial period, being covered with an ice sheet of a mile or more in thickness. At that time the climate was much like that of the Arctic region is today. This plateau, however, has been since worn down very irregular, due to the processes of erosion.

This same ice sheet pushed along with it a certain amount of debris, which is known as "boulder clay." During the glacial period, the land here subsided, due to the enormous pressure of the ice crust, and, after the recession of the ice, the surface again arose. The party now climbed the ascent to the "Schrine," and went from there a short distance west to what is popularly termed the "Devil's Garden," occupying an area of about fifty acres, and containing boulder deposits and showing two distinct sea ridges. These boulders run to a depth of about 25 feet, and are from two to twenty inches in diameter, and are composed chiefly of quartz porphyry. The next task was to climb the mountain, and accomplish in extended order, of course.

Rigaud is the most westerly of the line of mountains of igneous origin, the age of the mountain being doubtful owing to the fact that the contact between the paleozoic and igneous rocks is wholly concealed by drifts. It has an area of about 15 square miles. The most prominent ridge is the one fronting the Ottawa river, the average elevation of which is 500 feet. The boulders in the vicinity are practically the debris of the mountain, and are due to the wave action during the past glacial submergences.

The greater part of the mountain is composed of horn-blende, which is pierced in the northwestern part by quartz porphyry, the syenite varying in color from pale red to greyish white, the porphyry being surrounded on two sides by the syenite running east until it reaches the syenite. The examination of rocks on Rigaud Mountain shows that they are of different petrographic character and chemical composition than the mountains of the same line. They are composed chiefly of horn-blende syenite in the north by an area of porphyry, which differentiates from quartz syenite to typical porphyry.

Coming home, our embryo geologists, though tired out from an afternoon's arduous climbing, executed some well known old ballads with cracked tenor voices, and tender trills. One large person, said to be a Scientist, instigated most of the atrocities in the musical line, and while not required to make the trips, promised to come along again and tear more heart-rending tunes from the Science Juniors' unusually parched throats. However, no one seemed to take the threat seriously, so it may still be possible to get a fair crowd on the remaining trips. A rather peculiar condition of affairs was noted on the home trip. Most of the seats were hardly in use at all, while others seemed so popular that a breakdown looked inevitable. The crowd seemed to be rather unsociable, breaking up in cliques, the most noticeable being that which might be designated as the "R. V. C." clique, and which seemed to be the worst offender. Only one intrepid outsider, a Junior in Science, was willing to endure the impudent glances of them, and he was an object of unqualified admiration (or was it contempt?) of his section. However, for the whole, rock breaking seems to be a job to which University students do not adapt themselves freely, as it tried most of them so that they did not take part in the hilarity of the occasion. Perhaps the reason they don't adapt themselves is that they feel that, with the education McGill gives them, they will be able to go out into life with their brain developed enough, so they can manage to live and get away with it—without any necessity of attacking rock-piles in our famous resorts.

from a jail in Sandusky, Ohio, where he spent two days until the necessary money was forwarded by friends to pay his fine and the costs.

Varnum bade a handful of friends good-bye at Oakland September 13, as he boarded a blind baggage. He repeatedly was thrown off trains on his way East, being given a lift in only one instance, when a train crew in the West gave him an opportunity to work for his transportation.

He has been employed as a stenographer in the police headquarters in Los Angeles. His parents are wealthy ranch owners in Idaho, but the young man prefers to work his way through college.

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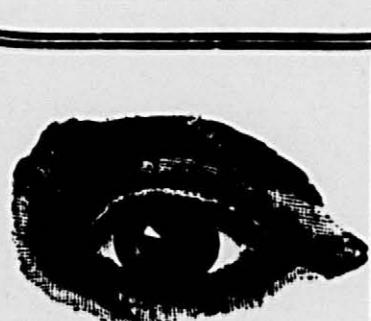
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## JUDGE DUNLOP WAS A MCGILL GRAD. LAW '60

His Sudden Death Yesterday  
Morning Was a Shock to  
His Friends.

### JUDGE OF SUPERIOR COURT.

Sat on Many Celebrated Cases—  
Did Not See End of Storstad  
Case.

The death of one of McGill's prominent  
graduates occurred yesterday morning at four o'clock, in the person  
of Mr. Justice Dunlop, who graduated  
in Law in 1860. He was a Judge of the  
Superior Court of Quebec, and of the Admiralty Division of the Ex-  
chequer Court of Canada. His sudden  
death yesterday morning, at his resi-  
dence, 299 Peel street, was a great  
shock to his colleagues, and deep  
regret was expressed among them. Mr.  
Justice Dunlop had been ill only since  
Saturday, when he was stricken with  
an attack of acute indigestion.

As judge of the Admiralty Court,  
Mr. Justice Dunlop sat on many  
highly important cases. The most  
famous of these in recent years was  
the Empress-Storstad case. In April,  
1915, Mr. Justice Dunlop rendered  
judgment holding the owners of the  
Storstad responsible for the disaster.  
Damages in the Admiralty Court are  
not fixed by the Judge, but by as-  
sessors under the direction of the  
Registrar of the Court. The amount  
involved in this famous case is about  
\$3,000,000, and an appeal from the  
decision is still pending; so that Mr.  
Justice Dunlop did not live to see  
the final outcome of the celebrated  
litigation.

Mr. Justice John Dunlop was born  
at Clober, Shropshire, Scotland, and  
was the third son of Alexander Dunlop.  
He was educated at Edinburgh Academy,  
and at Edinburgh University, where he  
studied for five years under Professors  
Sir William Hamilton, William Edmonstone Aytoun, Edward  
Forbes, and Pillans, the most  
famous Scottish educators of that  
day. He came to Canada in 1857, and  
took up the study of law in the offices  
of Messrs. A. and W. Robertson,  
of Montreal. He followed the  
law course at McGill University at  
the same time, and graduated with  
honours as B.C.L. in 1860. He was  
admitted to the Bar of the Province of  
Quebec in 1861, and took up the  
practice of his profession in Montreal.  
Later he formed a partnership with Mr. F. S. Lyman, K.C., which  
was continued until Mr. Dunlop's elevation  
to the Bench.

Mr. Dunlop built up an extensive  
practice, and won recognition as a  
master of law. He was created a  
King's Counsel in 1889, and in 1891-2  
he was unanimously elected  
Bacchus of the Bar of Montreal. An  
authority on municipal law, he was  
for many years the solicitor for the  
Town of Westmount. He declined a  
judgeship in 1892. In 1895 he was a  
member of the Commission appointed  
to enquire into the system of examining  
candidates for admission to the  
Bar.

On May 5, 1904, he was appointed  
a Judge on the Superior Court of the  
Province of Quebec. Two years later  
he received the appointment of Deputy  
Local Judge of the Admiralty of the  
Exchequer Court of Canada. He was  
held in high respect as a careful and  
uniformly courteous judge, being noted  
for his patience, his minute study  
of every case that came before him, and  
for the impartiality and independence  
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splendid service, his decisions in this  
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## OPENING GAMES OF R. V. C. BASKETBALL

Seniors Meet Juniors, While Sophs Clash with Freshies.

To-day the first basketball matches of the season will be held in the gymnasium of R. V. C. at two o'clock, and it is requested that the teams turn out sharply on time.

Two games will be played—Seniors vs. Juniors, and Sophs vs. Freshmen—and it is expected that both will be pretty fast, for all the teams seem to be rather well matched. The three upper years have made few changes in their teams from last year, but the newcomers have some splendid material, and should make a good showing.

The teams represent the years, and it is the duty of the different years to support their own team. Let to-day's match have a record attendance of interested onlookers and rooters. The line-ups are as follows:

**Seniors.**  
Forwards—F. Kilgour and J. Klein. Guards—D. Hicks and W. Wyatt. Centre—M. Spier. Wings—E. Jackson and M. Newham.

**Juniors.**  
Forwards—E. Hay and R. Goodwin. Guards—G. Gardner and L. Fowler. Centre—C. Hay. Wings—R. Forde and I. Patterson. Sophomores.

Forwards—E. Abbott and L. Macdonald. Guards—F. Grindley and R. Rogers. Centre—R. Salomon. Wings—G. Craig and F. MacLaren. Freshies.

Forwards—J. McCulloch, E. Ross. Guards—K. Milligan and H. Nichol. Centre—G. Moody. Wings—H. Davidson, and Q. Savage.

## McGILL'S REPUTATION KNOWN IN THE WEST

Held Up As An Example of Sacrifice to Minnesota University Men.

In the course of a letter published in the Minnesota Daily by Prof. J. D. Robb, chairman of the all-University Relief Committee, and dealing with the need for relief for imprisoned students, the following appears:

"Why make a mark of college men in this canvass for money? The form of the question is not mine.

"We are not making a mark of anybody. The appeal came to my own mind as the biggest thing I ever had heard. It was a challenge to action.

"With McGill University pouring her men into the ranks in three battalions, every last man of them already swept to death or imprisonment; with the college men of all Europe the first to enlist just as Minnesota men would have enlisted; with high grade students, brothers of yours and mine, now tortured by crawling vermin, weakened by lack of food, shivering and sleepless from cold and exposure—fathers who would rather die than ask charity—for Heaven's sake, is this a time to raise a question of being made a mark?"

## WHAT'S ON

**TO-DAY.**

1.00 p.m.—Literary and Debating Society Executive.

1.00 p.m.—Meeting of R. V. C. '18, Common Room of R.V.C., re The Annual.

2.00 p.m.—R. V. C. basketball, seniors vs. Juniors, and Sophomores vs. Freshmen.

4.30 p.m.—Science and Arts football practice.

4.30 p.m.—Meeting of Societe Francaise.

4.50 p.m.—Meeting of Law '18 and Law '19.

8.00 p.m.—Meeting of Science Undergraduate Society.

## COMING.

Nov. 9.—6 p.m.—Meeting of McGill Engineering Building re The Annual.

5.15 p.m.—Meeting of hockey squad Central Y.M.C.A.

7.30 p.m.—Conservatorium of Music lecture.

Nov. 10.—B. W. and F. Club, McGill Union, 7 p.m.

Nov. 10.—Arts vs. Medicine, football.

Nov. 11.—Railway Club Trip.

Nov. 12.—Maccabean Circle.

Nov. 13.—Orchestra Practice, 7.30 p.m.

Nov. 14.—Meeting of Le Cercle Francaise Executive.

## DOCTORS AND OTHER ADVISERS.

(From "Girard's Topics of the Town" in the Philadelphia Public Ledger.)

The doctor is the only man I know who is forever trying to do things which will reduce his own income.

You never find a lawyer who gives his life to lessening the number of law suits.

Where is the sotrekeeper who advertises against the habit and pastime of shopping?

Do railroads tell us to send our freight by canal and travel ourselves on foot or by automobile?

How many bankers do you know who recommend an old coffee pot as a safe deposit box?

What baker has ever told you that home-made bread is preferable?

Shoemakers never indorse the habit of going barefoot.

But the doctor or chemist is forever and always figuring out how to trap this germ, or annihilate that bacillus, or banish another malady, all of which tends to reduce the amount of sickness and lessen his own earning capacity.

Estimate, if you can, how many million doctor fees were saved when Edward Jenner, an Englishman, about the time of the American Revolution, discovered the secret of vaccination to prevent smallpox.

Only two days ago we read how a Scotch surgeon in France had perfected a new process of photographing the interior of man. You cannot tell how many surgical operations that may prevail in future and how many surgeon fees it will wipe out.

J. K. L. ROSS' GENEROSITY.

J. K. L. Ross, Sci. '97, has donated \$50,000 to be utilized in building an additional unit to the Nurses' Home to accommodate twenty nurses of the Royal Victoria Hospital. As a result of Mr. Ross' previous generosity, it was stated, the hospital will have accommodation for 600 public patients instead of 325, as at present. The Ross Memorial wing for private patients will be more than self-supporting, and will thus help in the maintenance of the public wards.

## FIRST TRIP IS TO FRONTENAC BREWERY

Railway and Mechanical Club Hold Meeting—Trips Planned.

At a meeting of the Railway and Mechanical Club in the Union last night it was decided definitely to hold the first of the trips of that organization on Saturday, when the members will journey to the Frontenac Brewery, for an inspection of that plant. In former years, the club was treated royally at this place, and the trip this year promises to be even a greater success than heretofore. The trip will be open only to the members of the club, as only a limited number can be accommodated. For this reason it will be advisable for those who intend to go to get their tickets immediately, in order to make sure of a place. The tickets will be sold at the same price as in former years. Members of the executive, viz., Liddy, Wainfield, Mallory, Murphy and McLean, will have the membership cards to-day, and prospective members can obtain them from any of these men. A number of them are also in the hands of "Harry," the janitor of the Engineering Building. In addition to the Frontenac trip, trips to the Windsor interlocking plant and various other points of general interest have been arranged for. This club is the only one in the Faculty of Applied Science that makes periodical trips for the general instruction of members of the different branches, and its activities are such that any of the trips will be of interest to the whole undergraduate body. It is hardly necessary to remind men that the club's activities are not limited to trips, but that several meetings of a social nature are held yearly. Something special in that line is being planned in connection with the trip through the tunnel, and it is expected that this will be one of the features of the year.

## RECITATION CONTEST OF SOCIETE FRANCAISE

Mme. Bonin, Wife of French Consul-General, and Mme. Crevecoeur to be Judges.

The Societe Francaise will hold its second meeting in the Common Room to-day at 4:30 p.m.

All those who are taking part in the recitation contest will please hand in to the president the name and author, and the piece that they are going to recite. This should be done before one o'clock.

The Societe is indeed very fortunate to have been able to procure the services of Mme. Bonin, the wife of the French Consul-General, in Montreal. Mme. Bonin, as well as Mme. de Crevecoeur, have kindly consented to act as judges in this recitation contest.

This is the first time Mme. Bonin comes to McGill in such a capacity, but she may rest assured that her kindness is highly appreciated.

The best way, however, in which the Societe can prove itself deserving of such an honour is through the attendance of as many members of the Society as possible.

As for those participating in the programme, they need not fear that Mme. Bonin might prove a vigorous and harsh judge. Nothing of the kind! She is a highly intelligent, lenient, and indulgent lady, who loves the French language and literature.

It will be highly gratifying to her to see that the students of the Royal Victoria College also love the language and literature of the brave nation which even now is shedding its blood in the battlefields for our common cause.

## STRENGTH OF AN EGG.

Few people are aware of the wonderful provision made by nature to protect against breakage the egg of a bird by the use of the arch.

The fact that no man, no matter how strong he may be, is able to break a sound hen's egg, by squeezing it between his hands, applying the pressure according to the axis of the egg, is not commonly known.

By experiment it was shown that brown eggs are stronger than white eggs, and broke under a pressure of about 155 pounds. White eggs broke under an average pressure of 112½ pounds. The shells, when measured, were found to be from .013 to .014 inch thick. Some idea may be formed of the enormous strength provided by nature when it is considered that the average diameter of eggs is 1½ inches.

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### MINERS' CERTIFICATES.

First of all, obtain a miner's certificate, from the Department in Quebec or from the nearest agent. The price of this certificate is \$10.00, and it is valid until the first of January following. This certificate gives the right to prospect on public lands and on private lands, on which the mineral rights belong to the Crown.

The holder of the certificate may stake mining claims to the extent of 200 acres.

### WORKING CONDITIONS.

During the first six months following the staking of the claim, work on it must be performed to the extent of at least twenty-five days of eight hours.

### SIX MONTHS AFTER STAKING.

At the expiration of six months from the date of the staking, the Prospector, to retain his rights, must take out a mining license.

### MINING LICENSE.

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### MINING CONCESSION.

Notwithstanding the above, a mining concession may be acquired at any time at the rate of \$5.00 an acre for SUPERIOR METALS, and \$3.00 an acre for INFERIOR MINERALS.

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